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National Toxicology Program; Extension of Public Comment Period on Chemicals Proposed for Sixth Annual Report on Carcinogens

SUMMARY: On February 28, 1989, the **National Toxicology Program** (NTP) published (at 54 FR 8399-8400) a Notice to elicit public comment on the 13 chemicals proposed for addition to the *Sixth Annual Report on Carcinogens* and on other proposed actions pertaining to this document. The purpose of this Notice is to extend the pertinent comment period to May 16, 1989.

DATE: To assure consideration, comments must now be received at the address indicated below by the close of business on May 16, 1989.

ADDRESS: Comments should continue to be addressed to: **National Toxicology Program** Public Information Office, MD B2-04, P.O. Box 12233, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27709.

TEXT: SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The NTP published a Notice in the February 28, 1989, Federal Register announcing the proposed addition of 13 substances to the *Sixth Annual Report on Carcinogens*, and other proposed changes in the document. The Notice specified a 45-day comment period, with the deadline for receipt of comments established as April 16, 1989. A number of responses received to date, however, have requested that this period be extended for varying lengths of time on the basis of the large volume of data to evaluate and utilize in preparing relevant responses. Because of the importance of receiving comments from all parties that may be affected by the proposed actions, it has been decided to extend the closing date of the comment period for another 30 days, to May 16, 1989.

Dated: April 12, 1989.

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Director.

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